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REMARKS

Claims 6-11 are now pending. Applicant expresses appreciation to the Examiner for allowing claims 10 and 11 and determining that claims 6-9 contain allowable subject matter. Applicant has amended claims 6-9 to contain the limitations of the claims from which they depend and cancelled claims 1-5 to render the application in a condition for allowance.

Three independent claims in excess of three are added. The fee of \$300.00 (small entity) for the three independent claims is provided for in the charge authorization presented in the PTO Form 2038, Credit Card Payment form, provided herewith.

If there is any discrepancy between the fee(s) due and the fee payment authorized in the Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 or the Form PTO-2038 is missing or fee payment via the Form PTO-2038 cannot be processed, the USPTO is hereby authorized to charge any fee(s) or fee(s) deficiency or credit any excess payment to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

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In light of the foregoing, the application is now believed to be in proper form for allowance of all claims and notice to that effect is carnestly solicited.

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